Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, Neal Strand has been executive director for the South Dakota Asscciatien of County Commissioners since January 1, 1974, serving as spokesman for South Dakota counties at legislative sessions and community meetings, as well as local district meetings; and,

WHEREAS, Neal Strand served the state of South Dakota as Treasurer from 1969 to 1972; and,

WHEREAS, Neal was a state senator, representing Lincoln County from 1963 to 1968; and,

WHEREAS, Neal was active in Greig Male Chorus, the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Masons and the Yankton Constituency; and,

WHEREAS, Neal has always been an advocate for the people of South Dakota, serving on the Local Government Study Commission, Board of Personnel, Private Industry Council, and he is presently serving on the board of directors for the Bureau of Land Management; and,

WHEREAS, Neal has devoted his life to the betterment of his community, the caring and sharing with family and friends and the day-to-day giving and loving which make South Dakota a great state in which to live and work; and,

WHEREAS, Neal Strand will never retire, he will direct his energies to other worthwhile state and community endeavors:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim October 6, 1989, as

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in South Dakota, and I join Neal's many friends and relatives in wishing him good luck in the future.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Third Day of October, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Nine

GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

JOYCE HAZELTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE